IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Storisteanu et al.

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For: AN ACTIVEMARK MECHANISM IN A LIVE PARSING EDITOR

Honorable Commissioner of Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated August 1, 2002, please amend the above-

identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 17-20 without prejudice or disclaimer.

Please amend the claims as follows:

1   1. (Amended) A processing system for processing a document, said processing system

2   comprising:

3   a programmable text processing module having means for loading the document and a

4   parsing editor for initially parsing the document and thereafter incrementally parsing changes

5   committed in said document;

6   a mark control module having means for setting a plurality of marks in the document,

7   means for modifying said marks, and means for clearing said marks, and each of said marks

8   comprising selected information in the document and means for linking said selected

9   information with a command, said linking means and said means for setting being responsive

10 to the operation of said parsing editor without user intervention;